## **WATER ISLAND HERMIT** THOUGHT TO BE SUICIDE **RETURNS TO HIS HUT**

Had Been Hiding in Brush From Men Sent by Health Officer.

(Special to The Svening World), PATCHOGUE, L. I., July 16.—Capt. Frank Rorks of the Blue Point Life-Saving Station at Lone Hill, off this village, found to-day Dr. W. Charles Willia, the bermit of Water Island, who was believed to have thrown himself into the sen two days ago. Capt. Rorke was inclined to doubt the report that Dr. Wil-In had committed suicide when he saw Officers Rowland and Smith from the office of Overseer of the Poor Sylvester McCann approaching the island, Dr Frank Overton, the Health Officer of the own, had saked Mr. McCann to act besuse of the conditions of fith and starvation in which he heard the halfdemented physician was living.

Capt. Rorke kept a close watch of Water Island, and an hour or more after the departure of the county offcers saw Dr. Willis come out of the brush and make his way to the tumbledown hut which he made his home Capt. Rorke came over to the mainland to-day and notified the authori ties. He found that Dr. Mary Willis, a physician of Jersey City, Dr. Willis's mother and his brother, who is connected with a large Jersey City manufacturing concern, were in town to investigate the reports of his dis

Mrs. Willis and her other a agreed they would go to Water Island and get Dr. Willis and take him to some place where he could be kept under restraint for the rest of his life or until he entirely recovers from to the use of drugs.

### MUST GUARD AGAINST FIRE.

P. S. Board Orders Rallroads to Equip Care With Extinguishers.

The Public Service Commission made it known to-day that when a fire recently happened in a passenger train rushing over the Jamaica Bay trestle, no fire extinguishers were at hand. The entire train was threatened by the flames and one of the cars was almost completely consumed. The train was operated by the New York Consolidated Railroad Company, which has a permit to run

over the Long Island Railroad Com-pany's tracks.

The Commission to-day ordered the New York Consulidated Railroad and the Long Island Railroad companies to equip by Sept. 15 each of their electric-ally operated cars with one or more chemical fire extinguishers of such a type that the contents cannot act as an electrical conductor.

Oldest Engineer Gets Medal. BORDENTOWN, N. J., July 16.—
George W. Scott, the oldest living locomotive engineer of the Camden and
Amboy Railroad Company, and who is
ninety-two years old, has been presented with a medal from the members
of Roebling Council, No. 72, Locomotive
Engineers, of Trenton, for being a member of that order for forty years.

#### Because

Because it contains the kind of nourishment that those suffering from consumption need but do not obtain from their food, is why Father John's Medicine has been so successful for 80 years in curing throat and lung troubles, and pre-

It is a food medicine free from alcohol or poleonous drugs. Remem-ber, it is guaranteed. Not a patent medicine.

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THURSDAY, JULY 17TH

## Clearance Sale

**Greatly Reduced Prices** 

Women's Cloth Coats, Silk Wraps

For Sport, Afternoon and Evening Wear

19.50

Formerly to 59.50

Sports and travel coats of chinchilla, matelasse, eponge. Evening Wraps of charmeuse, brocade and chiffon.

Very Special Reductions

#### Women's Summer Dresses

Of Oriental crepes, voile, crepe voile, ratine in white, solid colors, stripe and flowered effects, large variety of styles.

8.90 12.50 15.00

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For Motor, Travel, Evening Wear

10.00

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One and two garments of a kind from regular stock. Of charmeuse and the leading cloth fabrics in white and colors. Sizes 13 to 18.

Fifth Avenue at 38th Street

# STERN BROTHERS

have arranged for To-morrow, Thursday,

An Extraordinary Sale of

#### Women's and Misses' Dresses

One Piece Coat Model, Coatee made of high cost Imported Russian Cord Etamine or Brocaded Eponge, in the most seasonable colors, also black and white stripes, the Skirt of White Novelty Crepe, Women's sizes from 34 to 44 inch bust measure, Misses' sizes from 14 to 18 years.

Actual Value \$21.50, Specially priced at \$9.75

### Girls' Summer Dresses

Twelve styles, specially prepared for this sale, in French Waisted and Russian Effects, of every fashionable washable material, in white and all desirable colors, in sizes from 6 to 14 years.

At the Extremely Low Prices of 98°, 1.75, 2.85

They have also in preparation for Friday and Until Noon Saturday

A Clearance Sale of

Men's Shirts. Furnishings and Underwear.

Particulars will appear in Thursday Evening's Papers.

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Store Opens at 8.30 and Closes at 5.30.

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Main Floor, Rear Balcony

## Men's \$3.75 Bangkok Hats, \$2

Cool hats that are going like hot cakes at their new price. (Other stores sell them for \$5.)

Five styles, though not each style in every size. All sizes in the group. The summit of Summer coolness.

> Men's \$2 to \$3 Straw Hats, \$1 Men's \$3.50 to \$5 Straw Hats, \$1.50

All sizes, and a fine lot to pick from. Fourth Floor

#### Imported Negligees at \$4.95 to \$24.75 Were \$10 to \$55 and More

This Disposal brings luxury and beauty at the lowest prices that, we believe, have ever been recorded for lovely boudoir robes. Indeed, we did not consider cost when we reduced the prices-for some of the Silk and Chiffon Robes were

Chiffon, Crepe de Chine, China Silk and Albatross Negligees Hand-Embroidered and Lace-Trimmed Lingerie Negligees

### Women's \$3.50 to \$5 Low Shoes, \$2.85

Quite a come-down in price on Summer Shoes of regular GIMBEL qualities.

Colonial Pumps, Oxford Ties and Straight Pumps compos the lot, with best choosing among the latter.

In one style or another a woman can find her size—and materials include white canvas, tan and gunmetal calf, Vici kid and patent leather. Also black and brown suede, black silk and gray and brown satin. Welted and turned soles.

Tomorrow at \$2.85 Pair Formerly \$3.50 to \$5.

Second Floor

#### Dolls' \$2 to \$2.50 Outfits at \$1 and \$1.50 Very complete outfits, including a full set of underwear; sizes

for dolls from 16 to 26 inches. Other Clearaway items: Regular Price 25c to \$2.50...... Dolls' Hats..... 100 to 80e

50c and 75c.....Dolls' Aprons, dotted Swiss and lawn..... \$9 to \$18 .......Dolls' Fitted Trunks...... 

#### Player-Piano Rolls At Less Than Half Price

We have an accumulation of rolls for 88-note piano-players that enter the Clearaway tomorrow at less than half their former

The selections include operatic, classical, popular and dance music, and all are in perfect condition. It's a fine time to enlarge your collection of music rolls if you

are tired of the pieces you have now. 15c to 60c Roll, formerly 50c to \$1.70

Eighth Floor

### White Ratine at Reductions

Some belated shipments have come in, which gives us the opportunity to offer these scarce and very desirable white cotton goods for Summer dresses, skirts and suits, at much less than their usual prices.

38c White Ratine, 27 in., 28c Yard \$1.25 White Novelty Ratine, 42 in., 75c Yard \$1.25 White Ratine, 40 in., 95c Yard Second

### Fine Stationery, 10c Quire

\$1.75 White Ratine, 48 in., \$1.35 Yard

A collection of fine correspondence paper that we sell regularly for 80c to 60c quire, with the envelopes. Made by famous mills; in white and various colors, in striking weaves and correct sizes. Now the paper, 10c a quire, with envelopes to match, 10c pkg. Buff Correspondence Cards, initial, \$5c box, with envelopes; formerly 50c. Note Paper, with two-letter illuminated monogram, 35e box, formerly 50e. Monogram Seals in almost every two-letter combination, 15c for 50, usually 25c. New York Souvenir Trays, special at 10c.

Your Money Goes Twice as Far, This Month

## At GIMBELS

THAT'S why these thousands of men and women are thronging our aisles and making the whole store almost as busy as Christmas time. Hundreds of clever women are BUYING CHRISTMAS PRESENTS NOW. The exquisite embroidered Linens, the handsome Silver Pieces, the smart things in Leather. the wonderful Handkerchiefs, the beautiful Silk Stockings and Socks, and a thousand other articles are as easy to lay away, and it is so gratifying to give JUST TWICE AS MUCH as the same money can buy in December.

The Store Is Full of Good Things In This INVENTORY CLEARAWAY We can only tell of a few, in detail, here. Come tomorrow and see.

The First of the Compose Costumes For Autumn

"The Auteuil"

Suit of Velour de Laine At \$47.50

Just where its long cutaway cost curves to the sides, the skirt is caught up to form the draped effect that won so much favor at the recent Paris Races. But, as this skirt is the masterpiece of a skilled designer, it is not bunchy or cumbersome in the back—it bears the second of th of the coat.

The coat is of plain black velour de laine, and the skirt is of black-and-white striped velour cloth.

Compose Suits

Scotch plaid skirts and green cloth coats, \$47.50. Black-and-white checked skirts and black coats, \$35.

New Serge Suits for Autumn \$25, \$29.50 and \$32.50 Third Floor



## \$60 French Wilton 9 x 12 ft. Rugs, \$37.50

Superb French Wilton and Anglo-Persian Rugs, though in discontinued patterns, at this exceptionally low price. All perfect.

Also 8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. Rugs, of the same fine makes, at \$35, from \$54. And a variety of smaller sizes at exactly half-price.

# Sample Brass Bedsteads---Half Price

Eighty-seven in all, mostly one of a kind, and in 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. sizes. Many extremely handsome designs, in bright and satin finish; and when sold cannot be duplicated. The best way to secure the Bedstead you particularly want is to make your selection early. Some of the prices:

\$82.50 from \$165 \$75 from \$150 \$70 from \$140 \$50 from \$100

\$42.50 from \$85 \$37.50 from \$75 \$30 from \$60

\$20 from \$60 \$15 from \$30 \$12.50 from \$25 Seventh Floor

## GIMBEL Drugs & Toilet Preparations Pure as Crystal—Many at Special Prices

Our absolute guarantee of purity goes with every product of the GIMBEL Laboratories and with all preparations made for us that bear the GIMBEL label. Further, we sell them because we know they are valuable for the purpose intended

Tomorrow's presentation of the GIMBEL products contains many that are marked at less than their regular prices. You will find it interesting and valuable, especially if you are going away for the rest of the Summer and need a supply of Toilet Articles to take along.

Toilet Articles

Gimbels Violet Talcum Powder, at 10e; ibs., at 18e; reg. 31a. Gimbels Corylopsis Talcum Pow-der, at 15e ib.; reg. 31c. Gimbels Antiseptic Sciution, for general toilet use, 40e pint. Gimbels Tooth Powder, 15e can, le. Gimbels Tooth Pewder, 15e can.

Gimbels Pure Extract of Witch
Hasel, 51.15 gal.; 35e, qt.; 15e pint.

Gimbels Glycerine and Rose
Water, 3-cs., 25e; 3-cs., 16e.

Gimbels Violet Ammonia, nicely
perfumed, delightful for bath, qt.,
16e; reg. 15c; pint, 16e.

Gimbels Eau de Guinine, 5-cs.,
15e; 4-cs., 25e.

Gimbels Bensois and Almond
Cream, for sunburn, 20e; reg. 25e.

Gimbels Hose Water, imported.

5-cs., 25e; 4-cs., 12e.

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5-cs., 25e; 4-cs., 12e.

Gimbels Petrolatum Jaily, whita,

4-cs., 16c; 2-cs., 10c.

Gimbels Imported Bay Rum, pint,
15e; reg. 26c; ½ pint, 25e; reg. 25e.

Gimbels Brilliantine, for softening and beautifying the hair in illyof-the-valley, violet, rose, carnation, heliotrope, at 25c; reg. 25e.

Gimbels Green Soap Shampoo
Liquid, reg. 25c, at 26e.

Gimbels Boap in 1 1b. glass jare,
at 25e.

Gimbels Shampoo Jelly, reg. 15c

dimbels Soap in 1 lb. glass jars, at 35c.
Gimbels Shampoo Jelly, reg. 15c a jar, at 10c.
Gimbels Glycerine, perfumed with violets, 4-oz. bottle, 35c.
Gimbels Tooth Wash, large reg.
25c. at 15c.
Gimbels Violet Witch Hazel, pint, 25c. & pint, 15c.
Gimbels Violet Toilet Water, fragrant and lasting, reg. 45c, at 45c. Gimbels Rimple Tincture Bensoin for softening and whitening the skin, 4-oz., 25c; 2-oz., 15c.
Gimbels Theatrical Cold Cream, 1b., 25c; 1/2, 25c.
Gimbels Cold Cream, 10c jar at 25c.
Gimbels Cucumber Cream, 25c iar at 15c.
Gimbels Tincture Myrrh, 4-oz., 25c; 2-oz., 15c.
Gimbels Orris and Chalk, 1/2 lb., 25c; 1/2 oz., 15c.

Gimbels Nail Bleach, reg. 15c, at 18c.
Gimbels Perfumes in following edors; Rose, Carnation, Lily of Valley, Violet, Hellotrope, 1 on bottlee, reg. 50c, at 60c.
Gimbels Perfumen reg. \$1, at 75c.
Gimbels Rouge Vegetal for checks and itps. reg. \$0c, at 60c.
Gimbels Rivera Lotion for softening and beautifying the skin, imparts a creamy freshness to the complexion, reg. 75c, at 80c.
Gimbels Nail Polish in cage form, reg. 25c, at 18c.

#### Medicinal Products and Sundries

6. Essence of Peppermint, 5-os., 48c; oz., 25c; 2-oz., 15c. Essence of Jamaica Ginger, s., 45c, 4-os., 28c; 2-os., 18c. Essence Fepsin, 8-os., 48c; 4-oz. Lime Water, 800 gal.; 10e pt. Javelle Water, 800 gal.; 180 pt. Elixir Iron, Quinine and Strychnia

Compound Cathartic Pills, 100 for 20s.

Salicylate of Soda, 100 5-gr., 10s. Hiaud's Iron Pills, 100 5-gr., 20s. Quinine Pills, 100 3-grain, 16s. Pepsinated Dyspepsia Tableta, 25c. Pepsinated Dyspepsia Tableta, 850.
Cascara Sagrada Tableta, chocolate coated, 100 3-grain, 15e.
Aspirin Tableta, 100 5-grain, 10e.
Rhinitis Tableta, 100, at 18e.
Migrain Tableta, 100, at 18e.
25c Laxative Cold Tableta, 10e.
10c Bronchial Loserses, 6e.
Gimbels Liniment, 25c size, at 18e.
Gimbels Bensoin and Glycerine
Lotton, 25c pt; 15c 4 pt.
Gimbals Violet Soap, 3 for 25e.
10c Gimbels Glycerine Soap, 8e
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